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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR 1.53(b) is a(n): Utility Design
 original patent application,
 continuation-in-part application

INVENTOR(S): Brian WYLD

TITLE: **EXTERNAL FAULT TOLERANT SHARED MEMORY UNIT IN A DISTRIBUTED MULTIPROCESSING SYSTEM**

Enclosed are:

- (X) The Declaration and Power of Attorney. signed unsigned or partially signed
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